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TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR HIERARCHICAL BANDWIDTH
DISTRIBUTION IN A PACKET NETWORK

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Specification – 30 pages
 9 Informal sheets of drawings
 2 Assignments & Cover sheet
 2 Declarations

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